

**SUFFOLK COUNTY, MA**

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
<b>Farms</b>			
Number	5	2	5
Acreage	7	D	D
Average size (acres)	1	D	D
Median size (acres)	1	N	N
<b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>			
Land/buildings (dollars)	339,000	D	D
Machinery/equip (dollars)	18,550	D	17,492
<b>Cropland (acres)</b>			
Total	D	D	10
Harvested	D	D	D
Irrigated	3	D	D
<b>Agricultural products sold - market value</b>			
(\$1,000)	263	D	D
(dollars avg. per farm)	52,620	D	D
<b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm</b>			
(dollars average)	-238	D	D
<b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	0	0	0
Beef cows	0	0	0
Milk cows	0	0	0
Hogs and pigs	0	0	0
Sheep and lambs	0	0	0
Layers 13 wks or/older	0	0	0
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	0	0
<b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>			
Corn, grain or seed	0	0	0
Corn, silage or green chop	0	0	0
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	N	N	N
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	N	N	N
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	N	N	N
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	0	0	0
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	0	0	0
<b>Vegetables</b>			
Number of farms	1	0	0
Acreage	D	0	0

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<b>Orchards</b>			
Number of farms	0	0	1
Acreage	0	0	D

**Abbreviations/footnotes:**

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture